

# 2005 CSBG

The federal Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) provides funding to California local communities to assist low-income people in attaining the skills, knowledge, and motivation necessary to achieve self-sufficiency.

2005 CA CSBG Grant	\$56,499,724
Low-Income Individuals in CA*	4,706,130
CA Individuals Served in 2005	2,184,602
Percentage of CA Low-Income Served	47%

## CSBG National Goals & CA Achievements

### Goal #1: Low-income people become more self-sufficient

- 9,176 low-income participants in community action employment initiatives were unemployed and obtained a job.
- 9,114 low-income participants obtained pre-employment skills/competencies required for employment and received a training program certificate or diploma.
- 13,734 low-income participants obtained care for a child or other dependent in order to acquire or maintain employment.
- 49,229 low-income participants enrolled in telephone lifeline and/or energy discounts with the assistance of the agency.

### Goal #2: Conditions in which low-income people live are improved

- 21,575 Safe and affordable housing units in the community were preserved or improved through construction, weatherization or rehabilitation achieved by community action activity.

## (CSBG National Goals & CA Achievements Continued)

### Goal #3: Low-income people own a stake in their community

- 3,792,516 volunteer hours were donated to community action.
- 78,754 low-income people engaged in non-governance community activities or groups created or supported by community action.

### Goal #4: Partnerships among supporters and providers of services to low-income people are achieved

- 5,563 organizational partnerships worked with community action agencies to expand family and community outcomes.

### Goal #5: Agencies increase their capacity to achieve results

- \$675,006,612 was mobilized by Community Action Agencies from CSBG, Federal Programs, State Programs, Local Public Funding, Private Sources, and the value of volunteer time donated to Community Action.

### Goal #6: Low-income people, especially vulnerable populations, achieve their potential by strengthening family and other supportive systems

- 53,613 low-income households received temporary shelter.
- 2,768,751 low-income households received emergency food services.
- 30,374 low-income infants and children obtained age appropriate immunizations, medical and dental care.
- 17,427 low-income parents and other adults learned and exhibited improved family functioning skills.